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Title: METHOD FOR DELIVERING A DEVICE TO A TARGET LOCATION

PROPOSED INTERVIEW

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Examiner Mercader:

Please find below a proposed amendment I would like to discuss in a telephone interview.

Applicants propose the following draft amendments to claim 1, which would be entered as two separate independent claims (note the following proposed amendment is a draft proposal only, for discussion purposes, and does not create any prosecution history estoppel):

X. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

inserting a first in-vivo device into a gastrointestinal tract, the first in-vivo device including at least an imaging device ~~a sensing device to sense selected parameters of the gastrointestinal tract;~~

receiving ~~sensing signals corresponding to~~ image data received by the sensing from the imaging device, ~~the sensing signals corresponding to selected parameters of the gastrointestinal tract;~~

generating a map from at least the ~~sensing signals~~ image data;

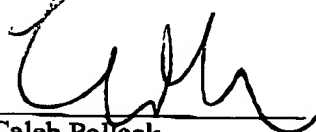
inserting a second in-vivo device into the gastrointestinal tract; and

determining the location of the second in-vivo device relative to the map.

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Y. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:
inserting a first in-vivo device into a gastrointestinal tract, the first in-vivo device
including at least a sensing device to sense selected parameters of the gastrointestinal
tract, the parameters being selected from the group consisting of: pH, pressure,
temperature, the presence of blood, and the presence of microorganisms;
receiving sensing signals corresponding to data received by the sensing device, ~~the~~
~~sensing signals corresponding to selected parameters of the gastrointestinal tract;~~
generating a map from at least the sensing signals;
inserting a second in-vivo device into the gastrointestinal tract; and
determining the location of the second in-vivo device relative to the map.

Respectfully submitted,



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